

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 /026 W  
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O 070750Z APR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY RANGOON  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5194  
AMEMBASSY BANGKOK IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L RANGOON 1230

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E.O. 11652: XGDS-2  
TAGS: SNAR, BM  
SUBJECT: STATUS OF DEA REPRESENTATION AND PROSPECTIVE DEA  
PARTICIPATION IN GUB-ANTI-NARCOTICS OPERATION

REF: (A) STATE 89352 (B) RANGOON 1171 (C) BANGKOK 9400  
(D) STATE 87334 (NOTAL) (E) RANGOON 1024 (NOTAL)  
(F) STATE 61115 (NOTAL) (G) RANGOON 1054 (NOTAL)  
(H) STATE 74301 (NOTAL) (I) 77 RANGOON 2166

1. WE ARE REQUESTING AN APPOINTMENT FOR THE AMBASSADOR TO CALL  
ON MINISTER FOR HOME AND RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS (AND CENTRAL  
NARCOTICS BOARD CHAIRMAN) COL. SEIN LWIN TO CARRY OUT THE  
INSTRUCTIONS OF REF A PARAGRAPH 2 CONCERNING THE PROPOSED  
OPERATION IN THE TAUNGGYI AREA AND UTILIZATION OF A DEA AGENT  
THEREIN (REF C).

2. AS STATED IN PARAGRAPH 5 OF REF E, WE HAD THOUGHT THAT THE  
SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION OF MOHEIN IV (WHICH WE THEN  
EXPECTED TO BE LAUNCHED BY THE END OF MARCH BUT WHICH WAS SOMEWHAT  
DELAYED AND IS NOW SLATED TO BEGIN IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS)  
WOULD OFFER THE BEST POSSIBLE OCCASION FOR MAKING THE APPROACH TO  
COL. SEIN LWIN DISCUSSED IN PARAGRAPHS 6-8 OF REF F. IN NEW OF  
MORE RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS, HOWEVER, WE WILL TAKE  
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ADVANTAGE OF THE CALL WE ARE REQUESTING IN CONNECTION WITH THE  
TAUNGGYI OPERATION TO RAISE THESE MATTERS AS WELL. WE WILL  
THEN BE ABLE TO RESPOND TO PARAGRAPH 2 OF REF D.

3. WITH REGARD TO PARAGRAPH 3 OF REF D, THE POLITICAL/  
ECONOMIC COUNSELOR WAS DESIGNATED DEA REPRESENTATIVE BY REF I.  
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